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APPLICANT'S COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

In the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance, the Examiner recited portions of the allowed independent claims and stated that the prior art failed to teach the recited portions. The applications note that it is a well-known tenet of patent law that each allowed patent claim stands alone. Further, although the Examiner has indicated at least one reason for allowance, there are other reasons that claims are allowable. In other words, the Examiner has not recited all of the reasons for allowance, and there are reasons for allowability in addition to those given by the Examiner.

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